

Shanghai Municipal Council.

16th April 1916

POLICE FORCE,
(DETECTIVE BRANCH)

Sir,

The police officer in charge of the 5th district in Chapel absconded on 14th instant. A thousand dollars reward has been offered for his arrest. It is reported that this man, who is a revolutionary, ran away because his superiors had found out his connection with that party.

It is reported that the Shanghai rebels have sent fifty men to Yangchow to arrange for the declaration of independence by that place.

Chen Chi May 陳其美 and Nyeu Tih Sung 鈕鉄生 are in Shanghai and are leaders of the rebels here.

It is reported that General Yang fears that the troops in Pootung and Chapel are not loyal.

It is reported that General Lui, in consequence of information that the gunners of the Woosung forts had been bought over by the rebels, has detailed some trusted men to look after them.

Your obedient servant,

Chief Detective Inspector.

Captain Superintendent of Police.

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Entire as received. Apr. 16.